as per information furnished by Government of Bihar, there is a backlog of one to two years in degree level examinations and two to three years in Master's level examinations in various State Universities in Bihar except K.S. Darbhanga Sanskrit University. The State Government is considering a proposal to declare one or two years as non-vacation years to clear the backlog. The State Government has also issued instructions to all Universities that the UGC's stipulation of 180 teaching days in an academic year should be strictly adhered to.

Navodaya Vidyalayas In Rented Buildings

2541. SHRI DAU DAYAL JOSHI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Navodaya Vidyalayas opened, State-wise; and

(b) the details of such Vidyalayas which are running in rented abd donated buildings.

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) 275 Navodaya Vidyalayas have been opened in the country so far. The State-wise breakup is attached as Statement-I.

(b) The details are attached as Statement-II.

STATEMENT-I

Statement Showing the details of state-wise number of Navodaya vidyalayas opened so far

Sl.No.	*Name of the State*	*No. of Navodaya Vidyalayas*
1	*2*	*3*
1.	Andhra Pradesh	20
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	5
3.	Bihar	25
4.	Goa	2
5.	Gujarat	9
6.	Haryana	9
7.	Himachal Pradesh	8
8.	Jammu & Kashmir	14
9.	Kerala	10
10.	Karnataka	18

Sl.No.	Name of the State	No. of Navodaya Vidyalayas
1	2	3
11.	Madhya Pradesh	29
12.	Maharashtra	20
13.	Manipur	7
14.	Maghalaya	4
15.	Mizoram	2
16.	Orissa	12
17.	Punjab	7
18.	Rajasthan	21
19.	Sikkim	1
20.	Nagaland	2
21.	Tripura	2
22.	Uttar Pradesh	35

Sl.No.	Name of the State	No. of Navodaya Vidyalayas
1	2	3
23.	Andaman & Nicobar	2
24.	Chandigarh	1
25.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	1
26.	Daman & Diu	2
27.	Delhi	2
28.	Lakshadweep	1
29.	Pondicherry	4
	Total :	275

List of Vidyalayas running in rented/ donated buildings

ANDHRA PRADESH

1.	Distt.	Chittoor
2.	"	Medak
3.	"	Khammam
4.	"	Cuddapah
5.	"	Srikakulam
6.	"	West Godavari
7.	"	Vizianagram

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8.	Distt.	Car Nicobar
9.	"	South Andaman

ARUNACHAL PRADESH

10.	Distt.	Dibang Valley
11.	"	Lohit
12.	"	Tirap
13.	"	Upper Subansiri

BIHAR

14.	Distt.	Munger
15.	"	West Champaran
16.	"	Ranchi
17.	"	Saharsa
18.	"	Patna
19.	"	Darbhanga
20.	Distt.	Purnea
21.	"	Lohardega
22.	"	Godda
23.	"	Vaishali

CHANDIGARH

24.	Distt.	Chandigarh (UT)

DAMAN & DIU

25.	Distt.	Daman

DELHI

26.	Delhi	

GUJARAT

27.	Distt.	Kutch
28.	"	Jamnagar
29.	"	Amreli

GOA

30.	Distt.	North Goa

HARYANA

31.	Distt.	Rohtak
32.	"	Bhiwani
33.	"	Mahendergarh

HIMACHAL PRADESH

34.	Distt.	Ladakh
35.	"	Sirmour
36.	"	Kinnaur

37.	Distt.	Kangra	59.	Distt.	Khargaon
38.	"	Una	60.	"	Rajgarh
39.	"	Hamirpur	61.	"	Guna
JAMMU & KASHMIR			62.	"	Datia
40.	Distt.	Distt. Ladakh	63.	"	Chhattarpur
41.	"	Rajouri	MAHARASHTRA		
42.	"	Anantnag	64.	Distt.	Osmanabad
43.	"	Srinagar	65.	"	Beed
45.	"	Poonch	66.	"	Thana
46.	"	Kargil	67.	"	Dhule
KARNATAKA			68.	"	Jalgaon
47.	Distt.	North Canara	69.	"	Nasik
48.	"	Coorg	70.	"	Wardha
49.	"	Gulberga	71.	"	Bhandara
50.	"	Charwad	72.	"	Yavatmal
51.	"	Chitradurga	73.	"	Parbhani
MADHYA PRADESH			74.	"	Chandrapur
52.	Distt.	Shivpuri	MANIPUR		
53.	"	Indore	75.	Distt.	Thoubal
54.	"	Sagar	76.	"	Bishnupur
55.	"	Damoh	77.	"	Churchandpur
56.	"	Sidhi	78.	"	Senapati
57.	"	Mandsaur	79.	"	Chandel
58.	"	Seoni	80.	"	Ukhrul

MIZORAM		
81.	Distt.	Lunglei
MEGHALAYA		
82.	Distt.	East Garo Hills
83.	"	West Garo Hills
84.	"	East Khasi Hills
NAGALAND		
85.	Distt.	Kohima
ORISSA		
86.	Distt.	Dhenkanal
87.	"	Koraput
88.	"	Phulbani
89.	"	Balasore
90.	"	Kalahandi
PUNJAB		
91.	Distt.	Patiala
PONDICHERRY		
92.	Distt.	Mahe
93.	"	Yanam
RAJASTHAN		
94.	Distt.	Alwar
UTTAR PRADESH		
95.	Distt.	Chamoli
96.	"	Tehri Garhwal
97.	Distt.	Mathura
98.	"	Agra
99.	"	Ghaziabad

[*English*]

Housing Facilities For Pensioners

2542. SHRI SUSHIL CHANDRA VARMA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any scheme for extending housing facilities to such all India Central and State Service cadre officers after retirement who have no houses of their own or of their dependents; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b). To promote greater access to housing for Central Government Employees of different Categories, an organisation namely, Central Government Employees Welfare Housing Organisation registered under the Societies Registration Act of 1860 has been set up by this Ministry. The Organisation is responsible for undertaking construction of houses at no-profit-no-loss basis for the Central Government Employees serving and/or retired, and for spouses of the deceased Central Government employees. The details regarding housing facilities for state service officers are not available.

[*Translation*]

Development of Ranthambore as Tourist Centre

2543. SHRI KUNJEE LAL: Will the MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state: